

DOWAGIAC UNABLE TO SOLVE MURDERS

Officers Without Clues in Monroe Case—Ardith Leaves Hospital.

(By Staff Correspondent.)
DOWAGIAC, Mich., Oct. 4.—Not a single tangible clue that would lead to the identity of the slayer of Will Monroe, his wife Mary and daughter Neva, who were clubbed to death as they lay asleep in their home on the night of Sept. 17, has been brought to light despite constant efforts of four detectives working on the case in co-operation with Sheriff Sherman Wyman.

County authorities for the past several days have been running down every possible clue, but the search has led them nowhere in the quest for the slayer.

Efforts of county authorities are directed toward the apprehension of three men, members of a gang of six, who stole a safe from the railroad office of the Michigan Central railroad at Cassopolis about the time the triple murder occurred. Three of the men, previously taken into custody, have apparently satisfied the sheriff's office they had no connection with the Monroe tragedy. Search for their three missing companions will be continued.

Ardith Monroe, 12-years-old survivor of the brutal attack upon the Monroe family has been taken into custody from the Lee sanitarium where she was a patient, suffering wounds and cuts from contact of the weapon used by the murderer. Sheriff Wyman stated Tuesday that no light was thrown on the mystery by questioning Ardith.

IRELAND READY FOR PEACE OR FOR WAR

Sinn Feiners Drill Troops for Fighting, While Discussing Parley.

DUBLIN, Oct. 4.—Sinn Fein Ireland is ready today either for war or peace. Preparations are under way. While the cabinet members, headed by Eamonn De Valera are working out the details of the program which the Sinn Fein envoys will present to the peace parley in London next week, the military wing of the organization is training the Irish republican army and keeping up its morale for operations in the field.

The Irish delegation is prepared to leave Dublin Saturday and will be in London in time to spend all of Monday in conference among themselves before the parley opens at 10 Downing st. on Tuesday. The Irish republican army is being trained in the mountains of Dublin and a review was held Monday.

Richard Mulcahy, chief of staff of the Irish republican army, in addressing a battalion of the Sinn Fein army, declared that Ireland is negotiating with a government that still has its foot on Ireland's throat.

"But," added Mulcahy, "the Irish republican army has a fabric which cannot be broken. The enemy is still humoring the tiger in Ireland. The enemy hopes to devour the flesh. You have been training for war and I hope you realize it."

WOMAN BLUE BEARD FACES COURT GRILL

Bar Husband of Idaho Woman From Testimony Hearing on Murder Count.

TWIN FALLS, Idaho, Oct. 4.—Alone behind three bars drawn from the trying ordeal, her lips colorless, her eyes searching faces of witnesses and jurors, Mrs. Lydia Southard, alleged woman blue beard, is hearing today the testimony in which her guilt or innocence of murdering her fourth husband, Edward F. Meyer, is to be determined. Her mother, nerves shattered by the early days of the trial is ill at home. Her husband, fifth man to whom she has been bound in wedlock, and her faithful spouse, was barred from the room.

The state may prove that here was the hand which administered the poison to Edward F. Meyer; that the act was for the purpose of collecting life insurance and acquiring his estate under the will he made a few days prior to his death.

Pres. Atty. Frank L. Stephen, in his opening statement defined the issues and with the first witness introduced brought before court and jury the contention of the state that the poison administered had been obtained from fly paper.

Tomorrow's HOROSCOPE

By Genevieve Kemble
THURSDAY, OCT. 6.

This promises to be a day of conflicting influences according to the astrological map of the heavens. While the luminaries are in good aspect, indicating advancement and excellent opportunities, especially for those in the employment of others, yet the inimical position of the beneficent Mars points to the danger of self-defeat through the likelihood of giving away to quarrels and bad temper. Irritability and strife may have the force to undo the predicted good fortune. This impetuous and lead to the domestic circle.

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YANKS AND GIANTS TO OPEN CONTEST FOR WORLD 'CHAMP'

(Continued from page one)

history of the game, the two local teams possess both the color and personality for a sensational and thrilling series.

It will be, however, more individual team or combination feature play, and this, in some respects, is expected to heighten the glamor of the clash when the clubs swing into action.

Regardless of the question of individual brilliancy against mechanical playing perfection, the fact remains that never in the history of Greater New York's participation in the world series has the interest in the outcome been so keen.

Twice before have the Giants and the Yankees met on the home diamonds in the past season series of 1910 and 1914.

Of the gameness and fighting ability of both clubs there is not the slightest doubt. Their gallant and winning struggle for the pennants in the closing days of the season is the only proof that need be offered.

In attack, close writers of the game are inclined to give the Yankees a slight margin of advantage. With their heavy hitting ability, which may be unleashed at any moment, they are extremely dangerous offensively, the team is not always as ready as admirers would wish for as several incidents and occurrences have demonstrated this season. It is also doubtful if the Yankees play with the same team co-ordination that the Giants have shown at times this year.

Viewed from another angle, it may be said that if the Nationals excel in team work, the Americans balance the scales with the individual power of their players. Much will depend upon ability of the pitchers to hold the opposing batters in check. This is particularly true in the case of such cleanup hitters as Ruth, Kelly, and Meusel brothers, and other extra base hitters in the rival clans.

In base stealing the strategy on the base lines, which may or may not have an important bearing upon the final outcome, the Giants are generally thought to have a slight edge.

So far as the physical condition of the players is concerned both teams will enter the fray 100 per cent strong. In the final workout Tuesday, both clubs had their full force on the field and reported, after the practice, that each and every man was ready. The managers of neither team would give the slightest inkling as to their selections for pitching assignments Wednesday.

Umpires will probably be Charles Rigler and Ernest Quigley for the National League, and George Moriarity and Ollie Chilli for the American League.

Game to start at 2 p. m., eastern standard time, 1 o'clock, middle-western standard time.

PROBE 'INVISIBLE' OF TEXAS MYSTICS

Officials Announce They'll Stop Next Masked Parade With a Machine Gun.

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Oct. 4.—"Unseen eyes of the invisible empire" faced a challenge from Texas authorities—the first real opposition in the state—today.

Closely following the riot at Lorena where several men including Sheriff "Bob" Buchanan were wounded, and the arraignment of masked activities by Judge Hamilton in charging the Austin grand jury to investigate a second time, Chief of Police Mussey and Sheriff Tobin of San Antonio met rumors of a Ku Klux Klan parade with the ultimatum it cannot be held.

"If we use a machine gun if necessary to stop a parade in which marchers wear masks," Tobin declared.

Simultaneously a second grand jury investigation of the Klan in this county was ordered by Judge S. G. Taylor of the 45th district court. "While there may be no real harm in permitting a parade of masked Klansmen," said Chief Mussey, "it would be in violation of the law. I propose to enforce the law at all hazard and if necessary to use every man in my department and other necessary force to prevent such a parade as was staged at Lorena."

Declaring that the law forbids any person to appear masked upon the highways of the state or in any public place, Sheriff Tobin stated there will be no parade of masked men here if he is able to prevent it.

Art Poster Competition is Closed at the High School

The commercial art poster competition of the art department of the high school closed at 4:30 Tuesday afternoon. Wilma Freymuth, Daniel Kelley and William Negus were awarded first, second and third prize in the order named. Prizes of \$10, \$5 and \$3 were offered by the Memorial Tree association to stimulate their drive campaign.

Judges were selected from the business firms of W. W. Dunkle, Lampert-McDonald Co. and Deleury & Reader. Many splendid designs were offered and it was difficult to make a choice. The "avenue idea" guided the judges in their final decision.

Designs of the three winners will be exhibited in the show window of Frank Mayer, Jr., local jeweler, this morning. Other designs of special merit submitted in the contest will be displayed in various shop windows on Michigan st. today. Students of the art department of the high school have been working on the designs for the last two weeks.

Sees Bright Future For Notre Dame Publication; Assign Various Features

Notre Dame football team, by hard work and consistent plugging, has no rival. Some of us say it is not equalled. The members of the editorial board of the Notre Dame Scholastic can take a lesson by that. By doing their ever best they can make the Scholastic the best school publication in the country.

This was the word of Rev. J. Leonard Carrico, C.S.C., dean of the school of arts and letters, to the members of the Scholastic staff at the University of Notre Dame in the first of the meetings of the literary men of the school. Rev. John Cavanaugh, C.S.C., former university president, probably will make the next address.

Possible future remuneration for work done was mentioned by Father Carrico. He outlined the purposes of the paper and its opportunities. Prof. G. N. Shuster, editor-in-chief, followed him and announced the departmental assignments of staff members: Carl Arndt and Leo Ward, C.S.C., editorial; J. W. Hogan, C.S.C., and R. M. March, C.S.C., special; Edwin Murphy and Charles Meiz, local; Robert Shea and Aaron Huganour, personal; Frank Wallace and Gerald Hagan, athletics; Francis T. Kolars, Holy Smoke page.

A prize is offered for the best work of the year done by a member of the board, the prize yet unselected. Rev. Father Brouhail, Rev. Peter Hebert and Sister Leonore, C.S.C., of St. Mary's college, will be judges.

The next issue will be a Notre Dame spirit number, with articles on "Notre Dame Patriotism," by A. N. Slaggett; "Notre Dame Religion," by Leo Ward, C.S.C.; "Notre Dame Democracy," Gerald Hagan; "Notre Dame Tomfoolery," Eddie Murphy.

Dr. Mooney, Well Known Here, Dies at Syracuse

Word of the death of Dr. E. L. Mooney, who died at his home in Syracuse, N. Y., early Saturday morning was received Tuesday morning. Dr. Mooney was a prominent physician in Syracuse and has many friends in South Bend, having made numerous visits to this city.

Kulibardi Pleads Guilty to Grand Larceny Charge

John Kulibardi, arraigned in circuit court Tuesday morning, pleaded guilty to charges of grand larceny. Kulibardi was indicted at the last session of the grand jury for stealing a quantity of paint from the Roof Products Co. Two other youths were indicted on the same count. Sentence will be pronounced later.

DEFENDS U. S. SHIPS IN MERCHANT FLEET

Agreements Between Americans and British are Told to Senators.

NEW YORK, Oct. 4.—Operating agreements between the International Mercantile Marine Co., an American corporation, and the British government did not affect the company's American flag ships even before the drafting of a supplementary agreement requested by the shipping board P. A. S. Franklin, president of the International Mercantile Marine, told members of the board at a special meeting here Tuesday.

The hearing was called to obtain from Mr. Franklin a recital of details of the British agreement which was attacked by Sen. Jones of Washington. Sen. Jones charged it bound the company "to pursue no policy injurious to the interests of the British merchant marine or of British trade."

"During 19 years of operating under these agreements," Mr. Franklin said, "we have never been interfered with by the British government in the management of our ships and no restraint of any kind has been placed upon us."

Mr. Franklin emphasized that the company was an American corporation, 93 1/2 per cent of its stock being owned by American citizens.

CONTRIBUTIONS

By MRS. FRED ELBEL

In the history of the development of the human race special tribute is paid to the patrons of art and culture. Alexander the Great was a famous civilizer of the world, known at that time. Other patrons of art have brought the best of other lands to their people.

A community is fortunate indeed if among its wealthy residents there may be found also those of generous impulses ready to share their advantages of travel and study with others.

When the doors of Mrs. M. V. Beiger's Mishawaka home are opened to the members of the art department of the Progress Club Thursday afternoon the good will and generosity of the owner will again be demonstrated. Mrs. Beiger has travelled extensively, and from all parts of the world she has brought treasures to add to the beauty and interest of her home. Her fine taste and discrimination has made her collection of curios of rare value and interest.

Mrs. Beiger's collection has not been limited to specialisation in one line. One may find there examples of the finest workmanship in all kinds of material from all parts of

the world. Exquisite pieces of carved ivory from China, India and Ceylon; wonderful examples of cloisonne, unusual mosaics, Japanese lacquers, jewel boxes or unrivaled beauty and intricacy.

Utensils and garments of industry, or dress characteristic of peoples of all parts of the world add to the delightful atmosphere of foreign lands until the guest feels the excitement of crowded wharfs of Jinnaksha journeys into old Japan in quest of rare old prints; the crusader's yearning for Jerusalem and the death of mystery that comes from the life of the Egyptian Sphinx.

The home of Mrs. Beiger contains also a collection of rare and beautiful books placed in a room containing some fine mural decorations illustrating the life of Ben Hur.

The exhibition of books and curios is under the direction of the art department of the Progress Club and a great effort is being made by the officers and members to insure a satisfactory day in every particular. The department extension committee has charge of the arrangements for the day. Mrs. L. H. Wirt acting as chairman with Mrs. Gates Harpel, Mrs. W. O. Davies Jr., Mrs. James Maloney, Mrs. Norman Bleuhler, Miss Agnes Pfeiffer, Mrs. John Reynolds, Mrs. Mont Smith, Miss Hilda Haugman and Mrs. Floyd Gaumer.

Mrs. E. G. Kettinger, who has accompanied Mrs. Beiger on some of her trips and who knows the history of the curios will explain many of the specimens and will be especially appreciated for her fund of anecdotes, concerning many pieces of the collection.

Refreshments will be served in the ball room at the close of the lecture on silversmith work by Miss Gertrude Harrie of Dwight, Ill., who will

bring with her a collection of hand wrought silver.

Special transportation accommodations to Mishawaka have been arranged by Mrs. E. J. Cady, Miss Margaret Manning, Mrs. K. C. De Rhodes, Mrs. William Hopp, Mrs. Theodore Koehler and Mrs. Norman Bleuhler.

Tickets for the afternoon may be secured from Mrs. Walter Muesel, Mrs. Dalton Mcnam, Miss Edythe Brown, Mrs. Theodore Koehler, Mrs. Russell Thompson, Mrs. E. P. Chaplin, Mrs. E. G. Kettinger, Mrs. J. W. Lalonde, Mrs. Gail Seibold, Miss Katherine Burcham, Miss Ethel Montgomery and Mrs. Fred Elbel.

School Head Addresses Women Voters League

Instructive and interesting facts concerning proposed educational laws were discussed Monday at a meeting of the League of Women Voters in the community room of the Y. M. C. A., by Supt. of Schools W. W. Borden. Mr. Borden disclosed entertaining side lights on the educational problems by reference to research work he accomplished during the summer at Columbia university.

Following Mr. Borden's talk the league discussed plans for the South Bend Symphony orchestra, concerts which are to be given during the winter under the auspices of the league. Committees were appointed to handle ticket sales and publicity. The ticket committee is composed of Mrs. C. M. Palmer, Mrs. C. J. Stahl, Mrs. Virgil Nash, Mrs. Anton Swanson, Mrs. Harry Jennings, Mrs. Chester Montgomery, Mrs. Frank Tritt, Mrs. D. Miller Hamilton, Mrs. Charles Russ, Mrs. William Shirley and Mrs. A. G. Helgeson. Publicity committee, Mrs. W. K. Sherman, Mrs. G. L. Hummer, Mrs. Kohler and Mrs. F. H. Ingersoll.

STATISTICS SHOW BIG LOCAL GAINS

Figures of Census Bureau at Capital Indicates Manufacturing Increase.

Statistics made public today by the census bureau at Washington show that there were 14,792 wage earners and 3,212 salaried employees in south bend manufacturing plants during 1919 and a total of 214 establishments. Other statistics for 1919 are as follows: Persons engaged in manufacture, 18,162; proprietors and firm members, 148; capital, \$79,751,000; services, \$22,882,000; salaries, \$5,461,000; wages, \$17,427,000; materials, \$38,706,000; value of products, \$75,329,000; value added by manufacture (value of products less cost of material), \$36,655,000.


Comparative figures show that in 1914 there were 250 establishments, 14,304 persons engaged in manufacture, 187 proprietors and firm members, 1914 salaried employees, 12,207 wage earners, \$54,148,000 capital invested, \$9,456,000 services, \$2,447,000 paid in salaries, \$6,559,000 paid in wages, materials valued at \$17,742,000, total value of products, \$31,180,000, and value added by manufacturer, \$18,438,000.

The 1919 figures show substantial increases over the estimates of 1914 in all respects.

America has approximately 10,000,000 bachelors.

The only legal holiday ever established by Congress is Labor Day.

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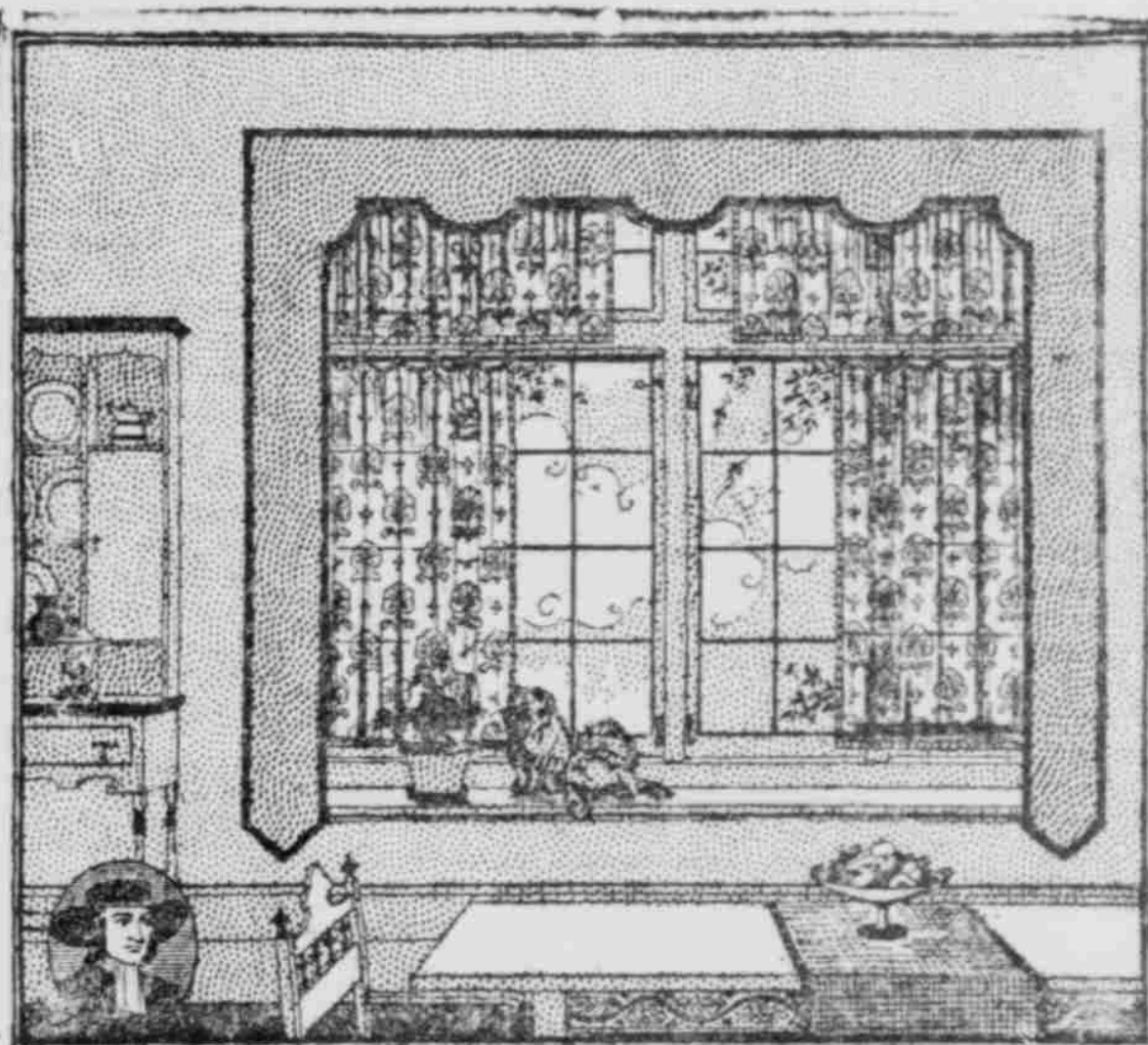


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